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Econoff delivered reftel demarche to Jiri Slavik at the Czech MFA Department for Development Cooperation June 13. Slavik confirmed that the GOCR is fully aware of the critical situation of Palestinian refugees in Lebanon and said on June 11, the MFA approved CZK 3 million (approximately US\$ 150,000) for funding the UNRWA Flash Appeal. The Czech Embassy in Beirut is in direct contact with UNRWA to implement that commitment. The GOCR has also approved CZK 2 million (about US\$ 100,000) as its annual contribution to UNRWA.
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